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**For Moses writes about
the righteousness that is based
on the Law, that the person
who does the commandments
shall live by them.**

ROMANS 10:5

But the righteousness based on faith says, “Do not say in your heart, ‘Who will ascend into heaven?’” (that is, to bring Christ down)

ROMANS 10:6



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“or ‘Who will descend into the abyss?’” (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead).

ROMANS 10:7

But what does it say?
**“The word is near you, in your
mouth and in your heart”
(that is, the word of faith that
we proclaim);**

ROMANS 10:8

**because, if you confess
with your mouth that Jesus is
Lord and believe in your heart
that God raised Him from the
dead, you will be saved.**

ROMANS 10:9



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**For with the heart one
believes and is justified, and
with the mouth one confesses
and is saved.**

ROMANS 10:10



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**For the Scripture says,
“Everyone who believes in Him
will not be put to shame.”**

ROMANS 10:11



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**For there is no distinction
between Jew and Greek; for
the same Lord is Lord of all,
bestowing His riches on all
who call on Him.**

ROMANS 10:12



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**For “everyone who calls
on the name of the Lord
will be saved.”**

ROMANS 10:13

How then will they call on Him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in Him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching?

ROMANS 10:14

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And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, “How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!”

ROMANS 10:15



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**But they have not all obeyed
the Gospel. For Isaiah says,
“Lord, who has believed what
he has heard from us?”**

ROMANS 10:16



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**So faith comes from hearing,
and hearing through the
Word of Christ.**

ROMANS 10:17

But I ask, have they not heard? Indeed they have, for “Their voice has gone out to all the earth, and their words to the ends of the world.”

ROMANS 10:18

But I ask, did Israel not understand? First Moses says, “I will make you jealous of those who are not a nation; with a foolish nation I will make you angry.”

ROMANS 10:19

Then Isaiah is so bold as to say, “I have been found by those who did not seek Me; I have shown myself to those who did not ask for Me.”

ROMANS 10:20



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But of Israel he says, “All day long I have held out My hands to a disobedient and contrary people.”

ROMANS 10:21



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**God uses our
faithful witness
to call people to
the Gospel.**



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The Gospel is
Available to All
People (10:5–13)



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For by works of the Law no human being will be justified in His sight, since through the Law comes knowledge of sin.

ROMANS 3:20



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**“What God requires is not
superhuman works, but faith
in the Gospel Paul preaches.”**

ESV STUDY BIBLE



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**For God, who said “Let
light shine out of darkness,”
has shone in our hearts
to give the light of the
knowledge of the glory of God
in the face of Jesus Christ.**

2 CORINTHIANS 4:6



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**“A genuine confession is
rooted in a heart conviction.”**

THOMAS SCHREINER

Followers of Jesus
Make the Gospel
Accessible to All
Peoples (10:14–17)

**Now the Lord said to Abram,
“Go from your country and
your kindred and your
father’s house to the land that
I will show you.”**

GENESIS 12:1

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“And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing.”

GENESIS 12:2



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**“I will bless those who
bless you, and him who
dishonors you I will curse,
and in you all the families of
the earth shall be blessed.”**

GENESIS 12:3



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**May God be gracious to us
and bless us and make His
face to shine upon us,**

PSALM 67:1



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**that Your way may be known
on earth, Your saving power
among all nations.**

PSALM 67:2



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**Let the peoples praise You,
O God; let all the peoples
praise You!**

PSALM 67:3



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**Let the nations be glad and
sing for joy...**

PSALM 67:4



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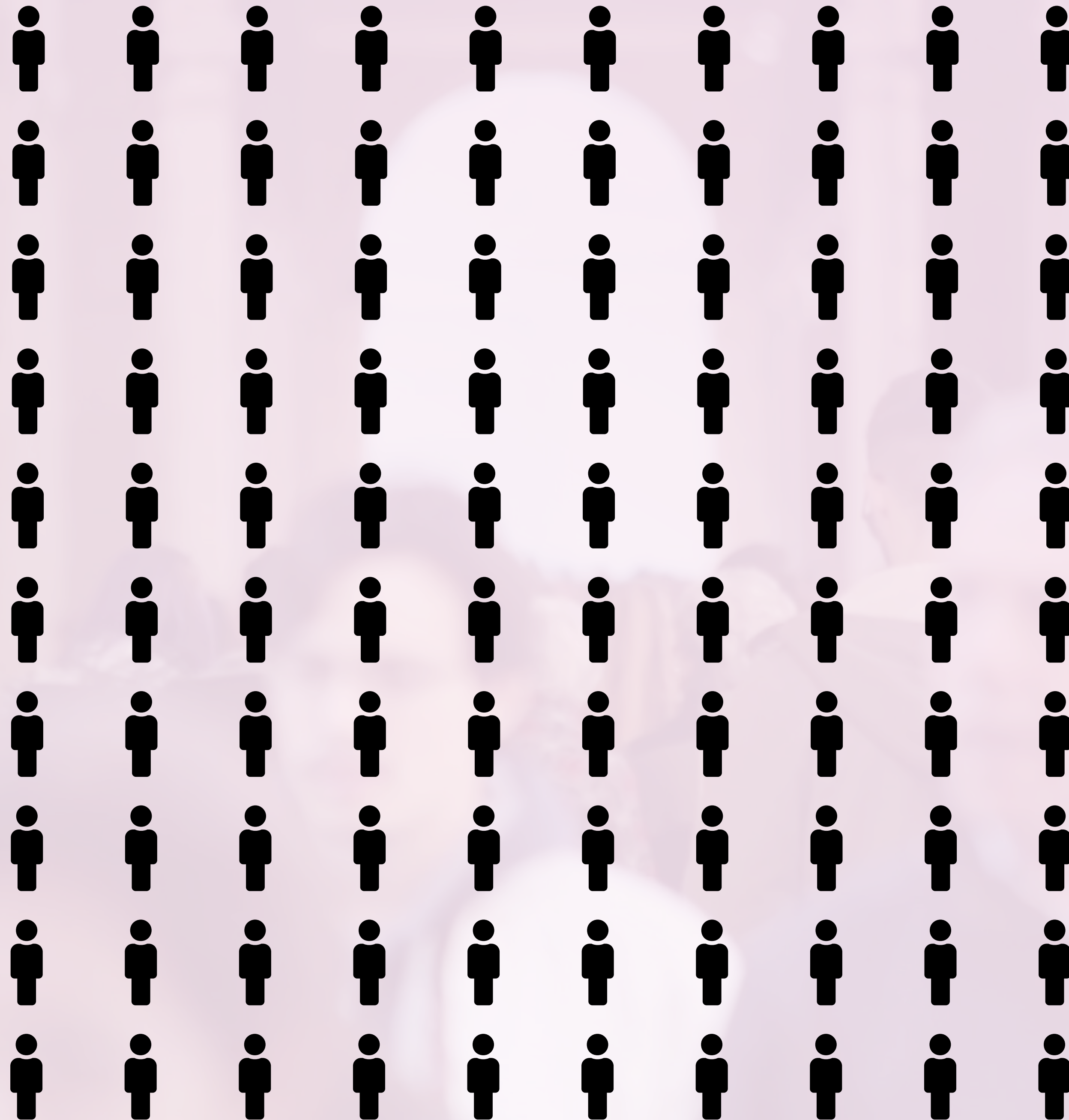
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PSALM 67:5

**7.6
Billion
People**

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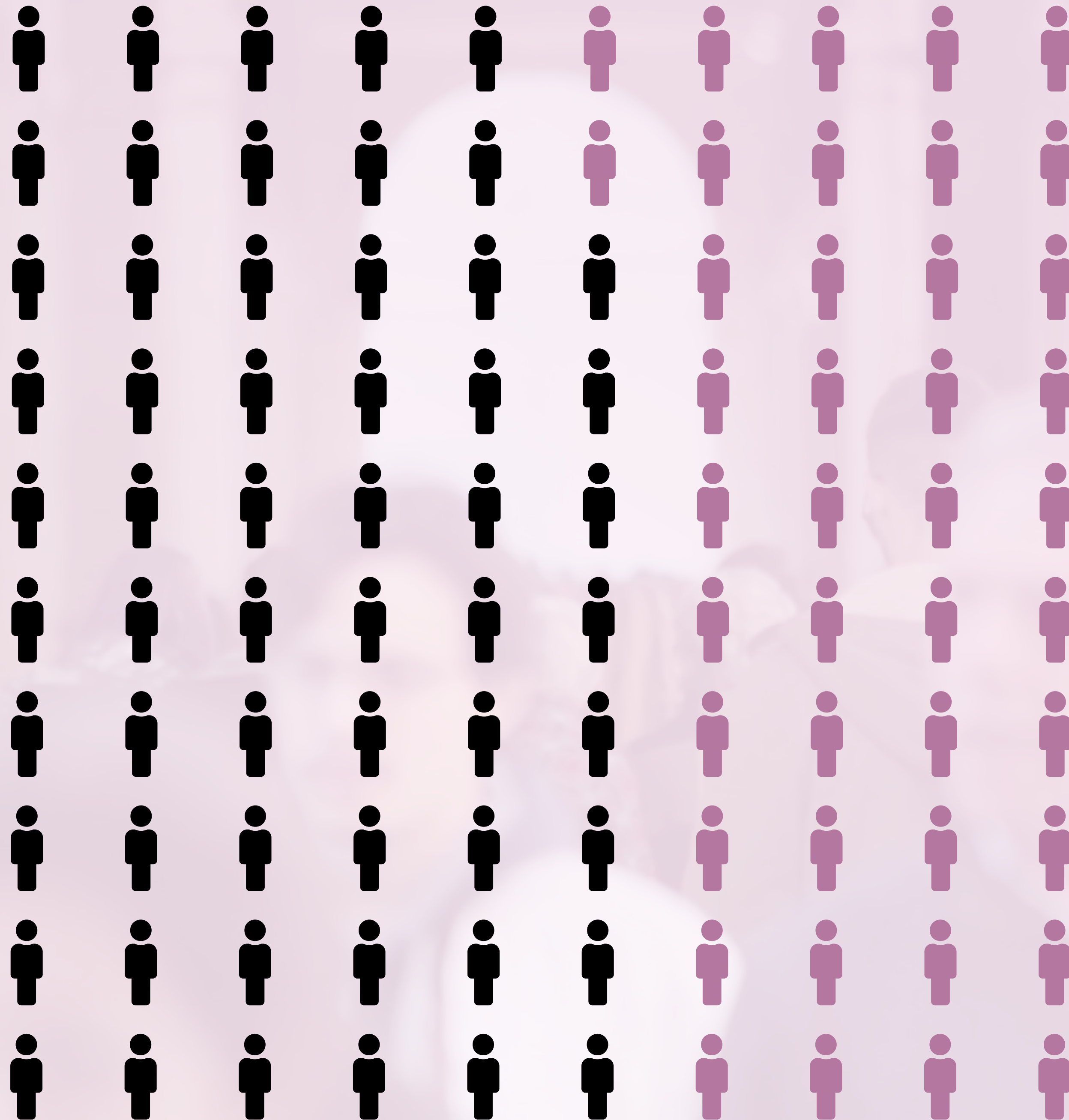
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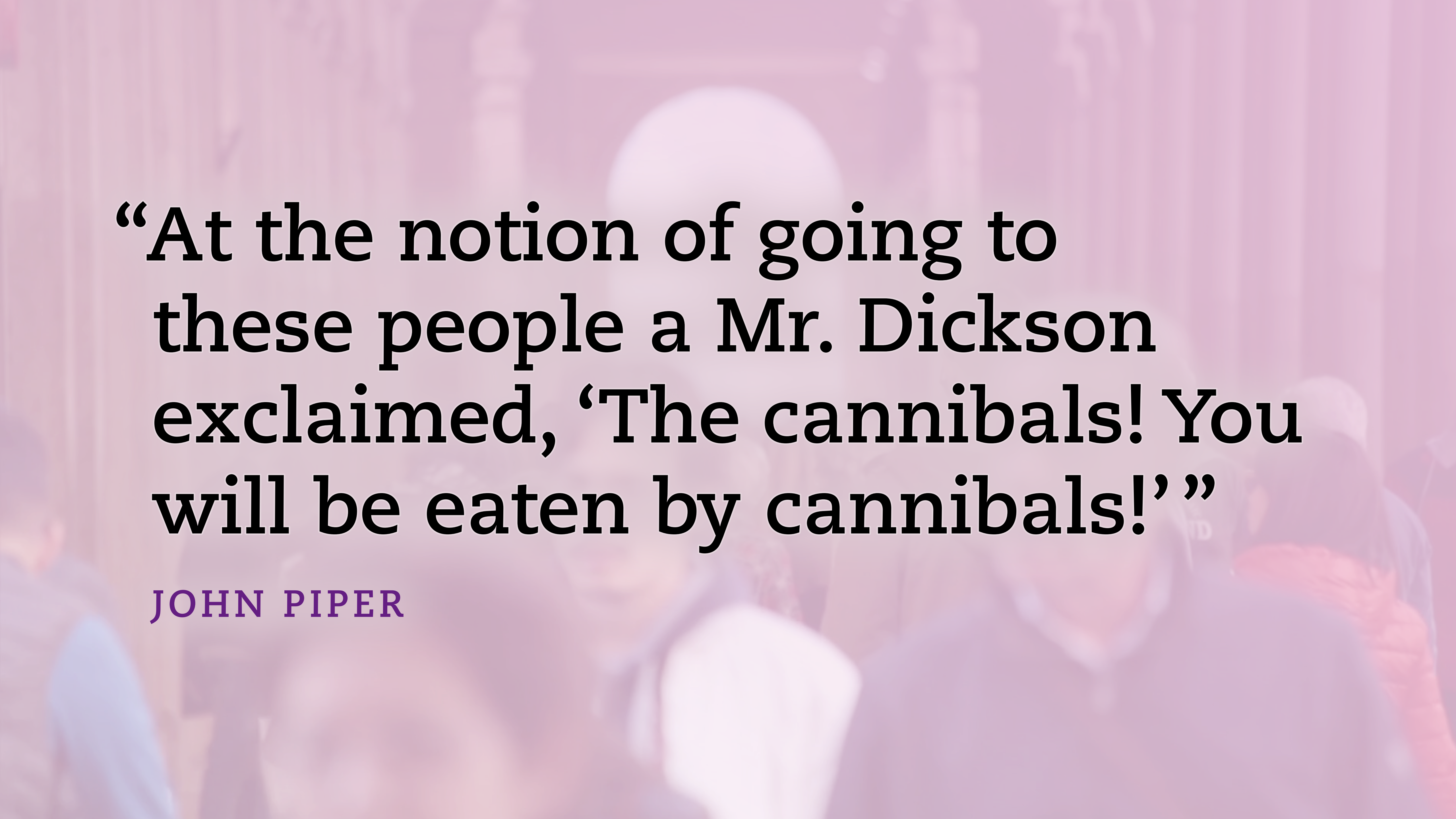
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**3.1
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“At the notion of going to these people a Mr. Dickson exclaimed, ‘The cannibals! You will be eaten by cannibals!’”

JOHN PIPER

“Paton responded ‘Mr. Dickson, you are advanced in years now, and your own prospect is soon to be laid in the grave, there to be eaten by worms...’”

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**“‘I confess to you, that if I can
but live and die serving and
honoring the Lord Jesus, it
will make no difference to
me whether I am eaten by
cannibals or by worms...’”**

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“‘and in the Great Day my Resurrection body will rise as fair as yours in the likeness of our risen Redeemer.’”

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Accessibility Doesn't Guarantee Acceptance (10:18-21)



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**And He looked around at
them with anger, grieved at
their hardness of heart.**

MARK 3:5





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